

The Adams Sentinel.

A Family Journal—Devoted to Foreign and Domestic News, Politics, Literature, Agriculture, Education, Morality, Science and Art. Amusement, Advertising, &c. &c.

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Professional Cards.

Claim Agency.
THE undersigned will attend to the Collection of Claims against the U. S. Government, including Military Bounties, Back Pay, Pensions, Forage, &c., either in the Court of Claims, or before any of the Departments at Washington.
R. G. McCREARY,
Attorney at Law, Gettysburg, Pa.
Oct. 21, 1862.

D. McCONAUGHY,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
OFFICE removed to one door west of Bucher's (Drug & Book Store, Chambersburg street).

J. Lawrence Hill, M. D.

HAS his Office one door west of the Lutheran Church, on Chambersburg St., opposite Dr. R. Hornor's Drug Store, where persons wishing to have any Dental operations performed are respectfully invited to call.

REFERENCES.
Prof. C. P. Knecht, D.D., Prof. Muhlenberg, Prof. M. Jacobs, M. L. Stover, H. L. Baugher, Dr. H. S. Huber.

Removal.
D. O'NEAL has removed his office from Wills' building to the corner of Baltimore and High streets, opposite the Presbyterian Church, adjoining the office April 7, 1863.

ADAMS COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated March 18, 1851.

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This Company is limited in its operations to the county of Adams. It has been in successful operation for more than 15 years, and in that period has made but one assessment, having paid losses by fire during that period amounting to \$14,088—\$6,769 of which have been paid during the last two years. Any person desiring an Insurance can apply to any of the above named Managers for further information.

The Executive Committee meets at the office of the Company on the last Wednesday in every month, at 2 P. M.

NO HUBB!
SOUTH-EAST CORNER OF THE DIAMOND.
THIS WAY FOR BARGAINS.

JOHN L. HOLTZWORTH, has just returned from the city with the largest and most complete assortment of **HATS AND CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES**, that has been brought to this town since the war. His stock is not only complete, but is GOOD and CHEAP, embracing every variety of Boots and Shoes for Men and Boys, whilst the Ladies will find everything in their line, from the finest gaiter to the heaviest Shoe, Children's Shoes of every description in great variety. Also—Ladies' Hats, fine quality, and Children's Hats, of all styles and prices. Also, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises, Umbrellas, Gloves, Stockings, Tobacco, Cigars, and notions of every description.

Don't forget the place, south-east corner of the diamond, Gettysburg, Pa.

JNO. L. HOLTZWORTH.
April 11.

A Most Important Discovery!
INTERESTING TO AGENTS, FARMERS, AND LADIES.

WE are making a single machine which combines the best and cheapest portable Wine and Cider Press, the best clothes wringer, and the most powerful lifting jack in the world. It is the only preserver adapted to making Apple Champagne, which is now regarded as one of the most important discoveries of the age. A good agent wanted in every county, to whom we will hold out such inducements as to insure \$1000 before Christmas. The first one making application from any county shall have the exclusive agency. Full particulars, terms, etc., by Circular.

HALL, REED & CO.
No. 55 Liberty St., N. Y.
CANNON'S

MARBLE WORKS.
Baltimore-street, near the Diamond, GETTYSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA.
Every description of work, executed in the finest style of the art.
Jan. 17—1866.

Gettysburg Marble Yard.
MEYER & BRO.
In East York street, Gettysburg, Pa.
WHERE they are prepared to furnish all kinds of work in their line, such as MONUMENTS, TOMBS, HEADSTONES, MANTELES, &c., at the shortest notice, and as cheap as the cheapest. Give us a call.

Produce taken in exchange for work Gettysburg, May 27.

If you wish Oranges, Lemons, Raisins, Figs and Dates, go to R. H. MINNIGH'S Confectionery, in Chambersburg street.

LADIES FANCY FURS.

JOHN FAIRBANKS
old established FUR MANUFACTORY,
No. 718 ARCH ST.
above 7th, Phila.
I have now in store of my own Importation and Manufacture, one of the LARGEST and most beautiful selection of **FANCY FURS**, for Ladies' and Children's wear, in the city. Also a fine assortment of Gent's Fur Gloves and Collars.

I am enabled to dispose of my Goods at very reasonable prices, and I would therefore solicit a call from my friends of Adams county, and vicinity.

Remember the name, number and street!

JOHN FAIRBANKS.
718 Arch Street, above 7th, south side, Phila.
I have no partner, nor connection with any other store in Philadelphia!
Oct. 3—1m.

Grand Mass Meetings.
NOT for political purposes, but for purposes of comfort, during the coming winter, will be held at the new **CHEAP CLOTHING, HAT & CAP STORE** of **THEODORE C. NORRIS**, on Chambersburg street, Gettysburg, one door East of Bucher's Drug Store, every day during the fall. He has on hand

Boys' Jackets,
Boys' Coats,
Boys' Hats and Caps,
Men's Fine Cloth Coats,
Men's Sack Coats,
Men's English Walking Coats,
Men's French Sack Coats,
Men's Great Coats of all kinds,
Description of Gent's Furnishings, Goods.

Being a new beginner, and determined to sell as cheap as the cheapest, he respectfully solicits a portion of public patronage, satisfied that he can please the most fastidious.

Also—The latest style of Gentlemen's Hats and Caps, constantly on hand.
THEODORE C. NORRIS.
Oct. 17.

LADIES OYSTER SALOON.

THE undersigned has the pleasure of announcing to his friends that, in connection with his **CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON**, he has opened an **OYSTER SALOON**, with a **SEPARATE DEPARTMENT FOR LADIES**. Ladies and Gentlemen visiting this Saloon will find the accommodations all they could desire. Oysters will be served up in any style and in a superior manner. Call and see.

JOHN GRUBB.
Nov. 7.

Hardware and Groceries.

THE subscribers have just returned from the cities with an immense supply of **HARDWARE & GROCERIES**, which they are offering at their old stand in Baltimore street, at prices to suit the times. Our stock consists in part of

BUILDING MATERIALS.
CARPENTER'S TOOLS.
BLACKSMITH'S TOOLS.
COACH FINDINGS.
SHOE FINDINGS.
CABINET MAKER'S TOOLS.
HOUSEKEEPER'S REQUISITES.
ALL KINDS OF IRON, &c.

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.
Oats, Points, &c., &c. There is an article included in the several departments mentioned above that can be had at this Store. Every class of Mechanics can be accommodated here with tools and findings, and Housekeepers can find every article in their line. Give us a call as we are prepared to sell low for cash as any house out of the City.

JOEL B. DANNER,
DAVID ZIEGLER.
Gettysburg, May 17.

FRESH ARRIVAL.

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES.

COBEAN & CO.
HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES, are just received and opened another splendid assortment of

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES.
for Summer wear, which they are selling at very low prices considering the times. They are of every description and price. Boots and Shoes, of superior make, and warranted to fit always on hand. Work made to order and repairing done on short notice, by experienced workmen. Also—

HARNESS MAKING
carried on in all its branches. Persons wanting anything in this line would do well to call. Don't forget the old stand in Chambersburg street, if you want Bargains.

COBEAN & CO. WOLFORD.
June 20.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO—We have a splendid assortment, and all lovers of the weed should call on

WM. BOYER & SON.

OILS—Fish, Sperm and Coal Oil, for sale by

WM. BOYER & SON.

SINKERS—The best in the market can always be found at the cheap store of

WM. BOYER & SON.

SUGARS—A general assortment always on hand of both Brown and White Sugars for sale by

WM. BOYER & SON.

QUEENSWARE AND NOTIONS—A general assortment. Call and examine for yourselves, at the cheap store of

WM. BOYER & SON.
Opposite the Bank, Gettysburg.

Choice Poetry.

THE PRICE OF TRUTH.

Great truths are dearly bought. The common truth,
Such as men give and take from day to day,
Comes in the common ways of easy life,
Blown by the breezes, what across our way.

Bought in the market, at the current price,
Bred of the subtle, the just, the prudent, the howl;
It tells no tales of daring or worth,
Nor plunders even the surface of the soul.

Great truths are dearly won. Not torn by chance,
Nor walled on the breath of sunny dream;
But earned in the great struggle of the soul,
Hard fighting with adversity, wind and stream.

Not in the general talk, and common wine;
Not in the merchandise of gold and gems;
Nor in the world's great hall of midnight mirth;
Nor in the blaze of day or gloom of night.

But in the day of conflict, fear and grief,
When the strong hand of God, put forth in might,
Plunges up the sword of the stagnant heart,
And smites the imprisoned truth-heel to the light.

Wrung from the troubled spirit, in hard hours
Of weakness, solitude, and solitude of pain;
Truth speaks, like harvest, from the well-ploughed field,
And the soul feels it has not wept in vain.

"WHILE THE DAYS ARE GOING BY."

There are lonely hearts to cheer—
While the days are going by;
There are weary souls who sigh
While the days are going by.

There is no time for idle sorrowing
While the days are going by;
Lest our faces be like the morning,
While the days are going by.

There is no time for idle weeping
While the days are going by;
Lest our eyes be like the evening,
While the days are going by.

All the loving links that bind us
While the days are going by;
One by one we have behind us
While the days are going by.

Both in joy and in sorrow
While the days are going by;
Both in life and in death
While the days are going by.

Work the days are going by,
Work the days are going by,
Work the days are going by,
Work the days are going by.

Editorial Remarks.

The Lord is my Shepherd.

How beautiful and touching are these words of the twenty third Psalm! How often has the fainting, trembling soul been blessed and strengthened by the sweet assurance "The Lord is my Shepherd!"

How precious to realize in our own heart of hearts, that though all earthly prospects may fade, though friends may pass away from our sight, and all the fond ties of affection be severed, yet if we can look up and putting our hand into the hand of our Father, can say, "The Lord is my Shepherd," we are indeed blessed. For does not the Good Shepherd gently lead his flock into "green pastures and beside the still waters," does he not gather the lambs in his arms and carry them in his bosom?

Oh, let us remember, in our day of trial and sorrow, that our God is a "very present help in time of need," and looking with confidence and faith to that source whence all our blessings flow, take to our hearts these comforting words, "The Lord is my Shepherd."—*Lucifer.*

Courage.

To fulfill successfully the duties of life, a degree of moral courage is necessary, to which very many persons are strangers.

In every important undertaking difficulties arise unforeseen, and to the timid, insurmountable. However well prepared the mind may be, however surrounded by favoring circumstances, yet a certain amount of bold enterprise is required to follow any noble end, and without which the most brilliant talents are bestowed in vain.

Perhaps the most distinguishing trait of great minds is that calm reliance upon self, that fearless intrepidity which sees obstacles only to overcome them. Such a disposition is conspicuous in the characters of Washington, Franklin, and others, and with diligence and energy there is scarce any degree of success which is beyond its reach.

Providence has hung, as it were, the fairest field of life on the loftiest bough, thereby intimating that it is a lone those who, in lofty thought, are like Saul, above their fellows, worthy of its rewards. And while to the indolent, shame and mortification are the spontaneous growth of earth, honor, wealth and heaven's blessing, is the portion of those who are fearless in the right.

Reader, did you ever notice immediately under the "marriage head," that the "chitany" notice followed, typical of the wedding of happiness and grief of this life. Chants and songs, and glow of merry ones to-day, will be broken by wails to-morrow, for the sod will be piled on the breast of some we thought not so near the grave.

We read who are married and wish them joy; a line below is the record of death, and we say, mournfully, peace to their ashes. Sorrow treads on the heels of joy; songs are hushed by the footfall of death, laughs are broken rudely, voices, no matter how musical, are stilled in a moment.

The attention of the mistress of a family was lately called to the fact that a little colored girl was constantly seen lying on the grass-plot, with her face turned up to the sun. Upon being questioned why she assumed that posture, she answered, "Why, missus always lays de times on de grass what she wants to make white. I want to get white, too."

A man in Columbus, Ohio, last week undertook to drink 28 oz. of whiskey for a wager.

He accomplished the feat, but died almost immediately afterward. The men with whom he made the wager were arrested as having instigated his death.

Courage.

"Is courage befitting a woman?" was asked yesterday by a blue-eyed, fair-haired girl, who had, with others, been listening to some facts with regard to a lady who shall be nameless.

"Yes," we answer; "courage is as necessary to a woman as to a man. Why not?"

"It has ever seemed to me," she answered, "that fortitude, rather than courage, should belong to a woman."

"True, fortitude enables us to endure, but we want courage to act. It is not for a woman to lead armies, although Joan of Arc did it very worthily; not every woman that has the wish to be a Zenobia or a Cleopatra. But there is not a day of woman's life that she is not called upon to be courageous."

"It is the little foxes that spoil the vines"—the little annoyances and petty stings from within and without. The sympathizing wife, the careful mother, the patient nurse, cannot well accomplish her task without courage. Courage to bridle her own spirit, and then to help others govern theirs. How many hours of despondency, sorrow, and dread, just because one had not the courage to speak in the right time and place. Sleepless nights and weary days invite despondency and fear. Courage is necessary to throw this aside, to rise above it; to look duty in the face, and to meet it cheerfully. Every one knows that it is far easier to meet a great evil, than it is to pass over a little, stinging annoyance—we are prepared for the first, but the last finds us off our guard.

If the mother needs courage, so does the sister—courage to ask her brother to put down the glass, to throw aside the cigar, to ask him to star and make home pleasant to the little ones. Not only the wife, the mother, and the sister need courage; it is just as essential to the belle in society, the charming, fascinating woman; courage to throw down all that is low, base, ignoble: courage to give her smiles and her hand to the worthiest, independent of the mere accidents of birth and fortune.

How few ladies have the courage even to wear a bonnet that is becoming to them, to dress their hair with taste, and to wear their dresses of becoming length, neither looped up to show an elaborate skirt, or long enough to sweep the streets for the gentlemen, but of the exact length to be free from speck or blemish. Women should be taught to be courageous. There are few things that would tend to make them happier in themselves, and more acceptable to those with whom they associate than courage.

There are many women—sensible in other things—whose panic terrors are a frequent source of discomfort to themselves and those around them. Now, it is a great mistake to imagine that hardness must go with courage, and that the boldness of gentleness and sympathy must all be rubbed off by that rigor of mind which gives presence of mind, enables a person to be useful in peril, and makes the desire to assist overcome that sickness of sensibility which can only contemplate distress and difficulty.

So far from courage being unfeminine, there is a peculiar grace and dignity in those beings who have little active power of attack or defence, passing through danger with a moral courage which is equal to that of the strongest.

We see this in a great many things. We perfectly appreciate the sweet and noble dignity of Margaret of Anjou, Mary Queen of Scots, or Marie Antoinette. There is no beauty in fear. It is a mean, low, ignoble feeling, to be detected in a man, and frowned down in a woman. The statue of fear would not be one that a woman would want carved for herself.

Spiritual Duty.

Bayard Taylor says—"I know an American author who was once bored for a long time by a female acquaintance, for sympathy and tender appreciation of her ideas of spiritual duty. 'Mr. Plutarch,' she would say, 'is there a more serene and sublime satisfaction in life than that of discovering your spiritual duty, and then conscientiously performing it? Have you not often, in your own soul, felt this tranquil bliss?'"

The author bore this for a time, but human patience has its limits. "No," he answered at last, "I hate to do my spiritual duty. If I know what it is, I won't do it; but, madam, there is one thing which does fill me with a serene and sublime satisfaction, and reconciles me to the hellishness of life. 'Pray, pray, what is it?' she asked eagerly. 'Madam, it is a pig's nose boiled with cabbage,'" was his quiet answer." He was never forgiven.

WHAT HE WOULD DO.—A medical student, who had been served pretty hard at his examination for admission to the faculty on a warm day, was nearly overcome by the questions put to him, when the following query was added:

"What course would you adopt to produce a copious perspiration?"

After a long breath, he observed, wiping his forehead, I would have the patient examined by the Medical Society."

The following is a *verbatim et literatim* report of the evidence given in a magistrate's court by a negro man named Doctor Jones, who accused another negro man Washington of stealing his watch:

"I see name Doctor Jones—name so 'cause old master named Doctor. I was settin' in de shop; my watch hangin' on de wall—Dat nigger (pointing to Washington) come in, set down, got up, went out, and de watch was demerced. Dat's all I know about it."—*Alexandria Gazette.*

One of the Church Militant.

The following story is told of Peter Cartwright, the hard shelled Methodist pioneer in the western prairies. He believed in the use of the carnal weapons of war, and when with rough characters would assert his mastery over them by simple physical strength and daring. The following incident, resting on good authority, is very like one told of a North Carolina pioneer, who pummeled grace into a profane and fighting blacksmith.

One day on approaching the ferry across the Illinois, he heard the ferryman swearing terribly at the sermon of Peter Cartwright, and threatened that if he had to ferry him across, and knew him, he would drown him in the river. Peter unrecognized said to the ferryman:

"Stranger, I want you to put me across."

"Wait till I'm ready," said the ferryman, and pursued his conversation and strictures on Peter Cartwright. Having finished, he turned to Peter and said:

"Now I'll put you across."

On reaching the middle of the stream, Peter threw his horse's bridle over a stake in the boat, and told the ferryman to let go of his pole.

"What for?" asked the ferryman.

"Well, you have been using my name improper like; and said if I came in this way, you would drown me. Now you have got a chance."

"Is your name Peter Cartwright?" asked the astonished ferryman.

"My name is Peter Cartwright?" Instantly the ferryman seized the preacher, but he did not know Peter's strength; for he instantly seized the ferryman, one hand on the nape of his neck and the other on the seat of his trousers, and plunged him in the water, saying:

"I baptize (splash) in the name of the devil, whose child thou art."

Then lifting him up, Peter added:

"Did you ever pray?"

"No."

"Then it is time you did."

"Never will," responded the ferryman. Splash! splash! and the ferryman is in the river again.

"Will you pray now?" asked Peter. The gasping victim shouted:

"I'll do anything you bid me."

"Then follow me: Our Father which art in heaven, &c. Having repeated after Peter, the ferryman cried out:

"Now, let me go."

"Not yet," said he, "you must make three promises: First, that you repeat that prayer every morning and evening as long as you live; secondly, that you will hear every preacher that comes within five miles of this ferry; and thirdly, that you will put every Methodist preacher over free of expense. Do you promise and vow?"

"I promise," said the ferryman.

And strange to say that this man became a shining light.

Whitefield and Wesley.

The Calvinistic and Arminian controversy ran high in Mr. Whitefield's day—more high perhaps among their respective followers than between themselves. On one occasion one of Mr. Whitefield's ardent admirers met him walking with a friend, and accosted him:

"Oh, Mr. Whitefield, I am so glad to have met you; I want to ask you an important question."

"Well, what is it?" said Mr. Whitefield.

"Why, sir, I was at a party of friends the other night, and somebody said that we shall see John Wesley in heaven. Do you think we shall, Mr. Whitefield?" who replied:

A Warning to Young Men.

The Jackson (Michigan) Citizen tells a good story of a young man in that city who had been in the habit of visiting the residence of a widowed lady, who had a daughter "passing fair." The young man was assiduous in his attentions, and was a constant visitor. This notice awoke in the young lad's heart the tender passion, and in her dreams she imagined that she should become the wife of her Adonis. Matters kept on in the same old way. The young man continued his marked attentions, and people began to whisper among themselves:

"A match, sure!" while knowing eyes, with a solemn toss of the head, would remark, "What did I tell you?"

The young man went out to his supposed charmer's house the other evening, for the purpose of taking tea. During the meal the mother of the girl asked:

"When are you and — to be married?"

The young man leaped back in the chair and coolly remarked that he had no idea of marrying anybody, and that he and the daughter were only friends.

He said he supposed she understood it so all the time. The young lady said not a word, but rose up and seized the teapot, which was filled with hot tea, took off the lid, and threw its boiling contents into his face, scalding him severely and leaving an ugly mark. She then furiously ordered him out of her sight. "Hell hath no fury like a woman scorned," is an old saying, and this young man can attest to its truth.

The Devil Right.

Dr. H., who is pastor of an Orthodox church, had been for some time annoyed by the forwardness of a lay brother to "speak" whenever an opportunity was offered, to the frequent exclusion of those whose remarks had a greater tendency to edification. This had been carried so far that the pastor, whenever he stated that an opportunity would now be offered for any brother to give an exhortation, had always a secret dread of the loquacious member. On one special occasion, the latter prefaced a prosy, incoherent harangue with an account of a controversy he had been carrying on with the great adversary. "My friends," said he, "the devil and I have been fighting for more than twenty minutes; he told me not to speak to-night, but I determined I would beat some of the rest of could speak better than I, but still I felt that I could not be kept silent; he even whispered that I spoke too often, and that nobody wanted to hear me; but I was not to be put down that way, and now I have gained the victory, I must tell you all that is in my heart."

Then followed the tedious harangue aforesaid. As they were coming out of the session room, the good pastor inclined his head so that his mouth approached the ear of the militant member, and whispered, "Brother, I think the devil was right!"

Three remarkable widows are living in New York. The first is Mrs. John J. Crittenden, tall, handsome and stately, in splendid health, and always magnificently dressed. The second is Mrs. Daniel Webster, not so well preserved, nor so young, but still a noticeable lady. The last is Mrs. Major General Philip Kearney, a magnificent woman in respect to appearance, with much natural beauty, and a good deal that is artificial. General Kearney, it will be remembered, left two widows—each of whom was designated in his will as wife.

Both were amply provided for in his will. The first was Miss Diana Cuthbert Bullitt, of Louisville, Ky., and the last Miss Maxwell, of New York.

A promise should be given with caution, and kept with care. A promise should be made with the heart, and remembered by the head. A promise is the offspring of the intention, and should be nurtured by recollection. A promise and its performance should, like a true balance, always present a mutual adjustment. A promise delayed is justice deferred. A promise neglected is an untruth told. A promise attended to is a debt settled.

A taste for reading will always carry you into the best possible company, and enable you to converse with men who will instruct you with their wisdom, and charm you by their wit; who will soothe you when fretted, refresh you when weary, counsel you when perplexed, and sympathize with you at all times.

The real object of education is to give children resources that will endure as long as life endures; habits that will ameliorate, not destroy, occupations that will render sickness tolerable, solitude pleasant, age venerable, life more dignified and useful, and death less terrible.

"Now gentlemen," said Sheridan to his guests, as the ladies left the room, "let us understand each other. Are we to drink like men or beasts?"

Somewhat indignant, the guests replied: "like men, of course."

"Then we are going to get jolly drunk, for the brutes never drink more than they want."

A prominent bachelor politician on the Kennebec, remarked to a lady that soapstone was excellent to keep the feet warm in bed.

"Yes," said the young lady, who had been an attentive listener, "but some gentlemen have an improvement on that which you know nothing about."

The bachelor turned pale and maintained a wistful silence.

When you are trying to sleep, it is not pleasant to hear two dogs, half a mile apart, discussing a dogmatical difference of opinion.

New Family Grocery & Variety Store.

THE undersigned has the pleasure of announcing to the citizens of Gettysburg and vicinity that he has opened a **NEW GROCERY AND VARIETY STORE**, in York street, Gettysburg, two doors east of the Globe Inn, where he has on hand the most complete assortment of Groceries, Notions, Jewelry, &c. ever offered in this place. His stock consists in part of Spices, Coffee, Molasses, Teas, Fish, Hams, Corn, Lard, Butter, Eggs, Salt, Fruit, Soap, Starch, Spices, Crackers, Tobacco, Segars, Flour, Potatoes, and in short, everything in the Grocery line. Also—Candies, Confections, Nuts, Figs, Raisins, Berries, Fruit, together with a fine stock of Queensware, Glassware, Crockery, and Woodware. Also, a splendid assortment of **JEWELRY AND PLATED WARE.**

My Groceries are all fresh, and every article of the best quality. In addition to this I am determined to sell goods cheaper than they have ever been offered before in Gettysburg, considering the times. If you want bargain call at the New Store.

The highest market price paid in cash or trade for marketing and country produce.

J. A. GRIMES.

Jan. 2.—tf.

Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Hon. Robert J. Eisner, President of the several Courts of Common Pleas in the Counties comprising the 19th District, and Justice of the County of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said district, and David Ziesler, & Isaac E. Wierman, Esq., Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the County of Adams—have issued their precept, bearing date the 23rd day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Jail Delivery, Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery and Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Gettysburg, on Monday the 15th day of January, 1886—

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables within the said County of Adams, that they be then and there in their proper persons, with their Rolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things which to their offices and in that behalf appertain to be done, and also, they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are charged with the trial of the said County of Adams, are to be there and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

ADAM REBERT, SHERIFF, Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Jan. 2, 1886.

STOCK THAT PAYS DIVIDENDS IN GOLD. THE MOUNT VISTA.

Gold & Silver Mining Company PAYS DIVIDENDS IN GOLD ON ITS CAPITAL STOCK.

THIS Company's claim consists of 2,600 feet on Detroit ledge, Buena Vista Mining District, Humboldt County, Nevada, and joins the corporation line of Unionville, the county seat of Humboldt County. It is one of the richest claims in that country and the gold developed will yield equal to the best pay mines on the Pacific coast. Those claims that have been thoroughly tested have paid to the stockholders immense fortunes, among which we might mention the GOLD & CERRY, the Hale & Norcross, and several others, whose stock to day commands a high price in the market. We have a large claim and our stock can, and undoubtedly will in a short time, command a premium. Work was commenced on the claim over a year ago, and since that time we have been energetically pushing forward, until now we are enabled to pay our stockholders stock in gold. The Alta Californian, in speaking of Nevada, says: "The Virginia district is the greatest and most productive mining district in the world. We do not say the richest, for many others have richer and more abundant ores." (Meaning the Humboldt region.) "But the advantages which others have in the quantity and quality of the ore, and the cheapness and abundance of labor, in the established character of the lodes, and the inherited experience of centuries, are more than compensated by superior machinery, intelligence, enterprise, and industry. No other silver mine now produces so much silver annually as the Comstock Lode, nor does any entire district equal it. Guanajuato, Zacatecas, Sonora, Potosi, San Luis Potosi, Catraz, Durango, Cerro Pasco, Potosi, and Copiapo, are the principal silver districts of Spanish America, and none of them now yields more than \$2,000,000 annually. As compared with the Virginia District produces at least \$12,000,000, and Gould & Curry alone \$6,000,000. Potosi, at one time, produced \$10,000,000, and many of the Mexican mines have, for short periods, run up to \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000, but then they had immense beds of ore, worth from \$5,000 to \$30,000 per ton. Whenever any mine has yielded one-third as much as the Gould & Curry, the ore has been three times as rich."

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Certificate of the Recorder of Humboldt Co., Territory of Nevada, ss.

County of Humboldt, Recorder of Buena Vista Mining District and Notary Public in and for Humboldt Co., hereby certify that the MOUNT VISTA GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY'S title to two thousand six hundred feet of mining property on the Detroit ledge is perfect, having been decided to said Company by the original locators as shown by the Records of this County.

Witness my hand and official seal, on this 6th day of October, A. D. 1884. W. A. HOLCOMB, [Seal.] Notary Public and Recorder.

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Jury List for January.

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Hamilton—John Myers, Jacob Wehler, Mountpleasant—Jacob E. Miller, Union—Henry Feltz, Jr., Menallen—Henry Brainer, Hiram Griest, Leifmore—Peter J. Kahn.

Hamilton—Peter J. Kahn, Berwick—Cyrus Wolf, Jacob Hull, GENERAL JURY.

Oxford—James McClellan, Jr., Union—Edward Leitch, Abraham Rife, Reading—Cornelius Myers, Andrew Hantz, Wm. C. Beck.

Cumberland—Wm. Rose, Wm. E. Myers, George Mountpleasant—Daniel Kohler, Vincent O'Boid, Alexander Little.

Gettysburg—John W. Tipton, Joseph White, John Wills, Edward McNulty, Strasburg—Jacob J. Gray, Wm. Le Thomas, Hamilton—Adam Wedge, Emanuel Menges, Isaac Myers.

Menallen—Solomon Hartman, John B. Hoffman, Conowingo—Andrew Elting, Butler—Solomon Orner, Jesse Miller, Grimsby—Wm. Dutters, John McKee, Liberty—Frederick McIntire.

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Dec. 19, 1885.

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REEDER & BRODENT, Gettysburg, Pa. Dec. 19.—3m

Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, Pa.

THE WINTER SESSION of this Institution will commence JANUARY 11th, 1886, and will continue thirteen weeks.

For particulars, address H. L. BAUGHER, D. D., President of Pa. College, or Rev. C. J. BURKHART, Principal of Preparatory Department. Dec. 19.—3m

Election.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG. NOTICE is hereby given to the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Gettysburg, that an election for Seven Directors, to serve one year, will be held at the Banking House of said Institution, on TUESDAY, the 9th day of JANUARY, 1886, at 1 o'clock, P. M.

GEO. ARNOLD, Cashier. Dec. 19.—1d.

Hanover Branch Railroad.

CHANGE OF TIME. On and after Monday, Nov. 24th, 1885, Passenger Trains on the Hanover Branch Railroad will leave as follows:

FIRST TRAIN (which makes connection with Three Trains on the Northern Central Railway at the Junction) will leave Hanover at 9 o'clock, a. m., with passengers for York, Baltimore, Harrisburg, and the North and West. This Train arrives at the Junction at 9:55, a. m., connecting with the York Accommodation Train, which arrives at York at 10:35, a. m. It connects at York with the "Fast Line" South, which arrives at Baltimore at 12:10, p. m., and also with the "Mail Train" North, which arrives at Harrisburg at 4:40, p. m.

This Train returns to Hanover at 12, m., and arrives at Gettysburg at 1, p. m.

SECOND TRAIN leaves Hanover at 2:20, p. m., and arrives at the Junction at 3:10, p. m., connecting with the "Mail Train" South, which arrives at Baltimore at 5:20, p. m. Passengers for this Train for York lay over at the Junction until 6:12, p. m.

This Train returns to Hanover at 4, p. m., with passengers for Gettysburg and Littlestown. Passengers leaving Baltimore for Hanover, Gettysburg and Littlestown, will take either the "Mail Train" at 9, a. m., or the "Fast Line" at 12:10, p. m.

JOSEPH LEIB, Agent. Hanover, Nov. 24.—17.

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Subscribers to new subscribers. New Subscribers to any two of the above periodicals for 1886 will be entitled to receive, gratis, any one of the "Four Reviews" for 1886. New Subscribers to all five of the Periodicals for 1886, will receive, gratis, any two of the "Four Reviews" for 1886.

Subscribers may also obtain back numbers at the following reduced rates, viz.: Blackwood from September, 1884, to December, 1885, inclusive, at the rate of \$2.50 a year. The North British from January, 1883, to December, 1885, inclusive, and the Edinburgh and the Westminster from April, 1884, to December, 1885, inclusive, and the London Quarterly for the year 1886, at the rate of \$1.50 a year for each or any Review.

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Register's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given to all legates and to her persons concerned, that the Administration Accounts hereinafter mentioned, will be presented at the Orphans Court of Adams county, for confirmation and allowance, on MONDAY, the 16th day of JANUARY, 1886, at 10 o'clock, A. M. viz.

248. The first account of Andrew Bittinger and John Bittinger, Executors of Jacob Bittinger, deceased.

249. First and final account of Daniel S. Diehl, Administrator of Samuel Sadler, deceased.

250. The account of Benjamin Malan, Administrator of the estate of Geo. C. Codori, deceased, embracing also an account of sales of real estates made by him as attorney in fact for the heirs.

251. The first and final account of Daniel Leitch, Administrator of the estate of Susan Keifer, late of Mt. Carroll, Ill., and formerly of Adams county, deceased.

252. The first and final account of Hon. Geo. Codori, deceased, embracing also an account of sales of real estates made by him as attorney in fact for the heirs.

253. The first and final account of John McArthur, Administrator with the will annexed, of Martha Leeper, late of Liberty township.

SAMUEL LILLY, Register. Register's Office, Gettysburg, Pa. December 19, 1885. 1d.

Tax Appeals.

THE Commissioners of Adams county hereby give notice that they have fixed upon the following times for the holding of Appeals for the several Boroughs and Townships of Adams county, at the office of the County Commissioners, in Gettysburg, when and where they will be heard to hear Appeals, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 o'clock, p. m., of each day, as follows:

The Appeals for Gettysburg, Cumberland, Germany, Littlestown, Oxford, Huntingdon, Littleton, and Hamiltontown, on TUESDAY, the 16th day of JANUARY next:

For Franklin, Strasban, Menallen, Butler, Mountpleasant, Mountjoy, Highland, and Conowingo, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th day of JANUARY next;

For Reading, Hamilton, Liberty, Tyrone, Union Freedom, Berwick bor., and Berwick, on THURSDAY, the 18th day of JANUARY next.

By order of the Commissioners, J. M. WALTER, Clerk. Dec. 19, 1885.

Bank Election.

GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK, Dec. 9, 1885.

AN election for Directors of this Bank to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 9th, 1886, at 10 o'clock, P. M.

T. D. CARSON, Cashier. Dec. 12.

Railroad Election.

THE Annual Election for a President and 12 Managers for the Gettysburg Railroad will be held at the office of the Company, in the second story of the Passenger depot, in the Borough of Gettysburg, on the SECOND MONDAY of JANUARY next, (January 8, 1886) at one o'clock in the afternoon. At the same time and place there will be held the regular annual meeting of the Stockholders.

Dec. 19, 1885. 1d DAVID WILLS, Secy.

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Valuation and Assessment for 1886.

IN pursuance of an Act of Assembly passed the 17th day of July, 1842, the following Statement is hereby published by the Commissioners of Adams county, which exhibits the amount, description and value of the Real and Personal Property, Trades, Occupations and Professions, made taxable by the several Acts of Assembly of this Commonwealth:

Adams County, Pa. Boroughs and Townships.

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Execution of a Murderer.

ROCHESTER, December 22.—A man named Wilson was hung at Genesee, New York, on Friday. He refused to entertain any clergyman as spiritual adviser. The sheriff caused his photograph to be taken as he was on his way from the jail to the gallows, against his protest. For this he told the sheriff, as he stood with the rope about his neck, he would take his (the sheriff's) picture—quick, if he had the power. He died like a brute, without looking for sympathy from any one present. Wilson confessed he did not bear his true name, and refused to disclose it, or tell his history to his counsel. He did, however, confess he killed the Hon. Burr Burton, of Syracuse, in May last, and also a Mrs. Lewis, at Lancaster, Ohio, about a year since. He hinted at many other crimes, but disclosed no particulars, and gave his body to counsel who sold it to a surgeon.

A REMARKABLE FAMILY GATHERING.—A remarkable Thanksgiving gathering took place in York, Maine, at the residence of Daniel McIntyre, Esq. Four generations were present. The venerable grand-father is eighty-two years of age, and what is remarkable, weighs but seventy-two pounds, with not even a gray hair intermixed with his black locks or whiskers. He carries on his farm in person; last summer worked with hands moving in the field, and now performs all the duties connected with the care of two yoke of oxen, five cows, one hundred sheep, &c., &c., assisted only by a young lad. He reads his newspaper regularly without spectacles. His bigger and better half is hale and hearty, weighing two hundred and twenty-five pounds.—They have had twelve children, eleven of them being alive; ten of whom were present at the Thanksgiving feast, one not having quite reached his growth, measuring six feet three inches while standing in stockings, with lots of grand children to make grand mother's goodies disappear somewhat rapidly.—*Providence Press.*

General Carl Schurz's report on the condition of affairs in the South has just been published. General Schurz found the South recovering from the peculiar state of mind into which the surrender of Lee plunged it. Then he says: "The public mind was so dependent that if re-admission at some future time, under whatever condition, had been promised, it would have been looked upon as a favor. The most uncompromising Rebels prepared for leaving the country. The masses remained in a state of fearful expectancy." The first reconstruction proclamation broke the spell, substituted hope for apprehension, and prepared the South for the resumption of much of the old spirit. As this spirit was developed, one proclamation after another by the President was made necessary, and week after week fresh conditions were demanded, to which the people have submitted, but unwillingly. General Schurz finds four classes of persons in the South, none of whom are entirely loyal, though one class is honestly endeavoring to accommodate itself to the new order of things. All of these classes, he says, are agreed that further resistance to the power of the National Government is useless, and submission to its authority a matter of necessity. All movements in favor of separation from the Union have, therefore, been practically abandoned, and resistance to our military forces, on that score, has ceased. The General thinks that this kind of loyalty, "produced by the irresistible pressure of force," is decidedly of a "negative character."

A terrible locomotive explosion occurred on Friday morning at the Terre Haute (Indiana) depot, throwing off the roof of the building, spreading the walls, and scattering freight, timber, brick and mortar, books and papers, in all directions. The engineer, Chas. Stake, and the fireman, D. Miller, were so severely injured that they will probably die. The extreme cold weather is assigned as the cause of the catastrophe. It was a freight train laden with hogs, and many of them were killed.

The Treasury Department has issued a circular to the heads of bureaus, calling for increased diligence and attention in preventing the errors in accounts which so frequently occur. It is in contemplation from the first of January next, to keep a record in that office of such errors, embracing all the particulars in regard to their occurrence that can be ascertained. From this record it is intended to make a full report, at the close of each month, to the heads of the several departments and the bureaus of the same, in which the errors may have respectively occurred.

The reports of contemplated insurrection among the negroes in various parts of the South during the holidays prove, as was anticipated, to have been entirely groundless, and got up, doubtless, for the purpose of trying to produce the very evil they pretended to deprecate. The riot in Alexandria turns out to have been a series of outrages committed on the blacks by returned Rebels.

A terrible case of suffocation from gas occurred in Chicago on Saturday night. Five men were found dead on Sunday morning, and a sixth insensible and not likely to recover, who had gone to sleep in the same room at the Beman Hotel in that city, while one of the gas pipes, from some cause or other, was left to discharge a full head of gas into the room.

All the prisoners at the jail at Cincinnati, Kentucky, consisting of four white men and two negroes, recently made their escape from that institution, leaving behind them a written request to "clean up the prison by the time they returned from their holiday excursion."

The Chairman of the South Carolina delegation to the President declares his belief that emancipation has already increased the self respect of the negroes; and many very prominent planters, hitherto successful in their business, are of opinion that the negroes, if properly paid and well treated, will work under the new system.

Two chiefs of the Red Lake Indians have arrived at St. Cloud, Minnesota, to ask Bishop Whipple to send them a missionary and teacher, whom they offered to pay a salary out of their treasury. One third of the tribe propose to separate from the rest and attempt to initiate the civilization of the white race.



THE ADAMS SENTINEL.

GETTYSBURG:
Tuesday, January 2, 1866.

The "Little Folks" Fair, for the benefit of the Ever-Green Cemetery, was quite interesting, and was a success. They realized about \$125, out of which a few incidental expenses were to be paid.

Christmas was celebrated in this place by a universal cessation of business, and by the religious services and social festivities appropriate to the day. Every person seemed to enjoy themselves to "their heart's content."

On Christmas morning, D. A. BRENNER, Esq., who has been for the last fifteen or twenty years the efficient Superintendent of Christ's Church Sabbath School, was called upon by the Teachers of the School, and presented with the valuable "Comprehensive Commentary," in 6 vols., as a testimonial of the confidence and regard entertained for him by the donors. The presentation was made by M. H. G. FAIRBANKS, and acknowledged in the usual happy manner of Mr. B.

Death of Rev. Dr. Grier.—We learn with regret that this aged and respected divine, for more than half a century the esteemed pastor of Piney creek and Tom's creek Congregations, died on Friday morning last. We have not heard particulars. He had approximated, we presume, to the great age of fourscore years.

A Card.—Mrs. H. J. CARNAHAN hereby expresses her sincere and hearty thanks to the Ladies of the Presbyterian congregation of Gettysburg, who, on Christmas day, presented to her a very handsome silver ice Pitcher, Goblet and Salver.

Rev. Mr. Ferguson, Pastor of the M. E. Church at Petersburg, was presented by his friends, on Christmas day, with a beautiful set of silver mounted Harness. Eighty persons have connected themselves with the Church during the late revival there.

Koontz and Coffroth.—The Hon. JEREMIAH S. BLACK has read before the Committee on Elections in Congress, an able argument, in which he shows conclusively that Gen. KOONTZ has the PRIMA FACIE right to his seat in Congress, and exposes in just terms the revolutionary proceedings of certain Democratic Return Judges who disregarded the law to deprive Gen. Koontz of his certificate. It presents the facts and the law in a manner that precludes successful controversy, and coming as it does from so able a jurist as Judge Black, and one who stands high in the Democratic ranks, it is of peculiar value. We are not able, for want of room, to give it this week; but it will appear in our next.

New Year's Address.—The Carrier of the "SENTINEL" will be about on New Year's morning, with his usual speech. He hopes to meet with many a happy face, and purses filled, out of which he will receive a handsome fee for his services, in the past year, in furnishing his weekly entertainment for the fireside. This is the only compensation he receives for his regular "tramp," and he hopes he will meet with a kind reception, and a patronage which will speak well for those he waits upon in his weekly round.

Splendid Forkers.—MR. HENRY B. WEAVER, of Strasburg township, has taken the lead in that township, and in the County so far as we have heard, in raising large Pork. He slaughtered, a few days ago, two hogs, only seventeen months old, one of which weighed 379, the other 410 lbs.—making an aggregate of 789 lbs. Who can best him?

Mr. W. has our hearty thanks for the two or three yards of splendid sausage he presented to us. He knows how to do a clever thing, and we fully appreciate it.

Capt. James Cooper, son of the late Gen. James Cooper, died very suddenly a few nights ago at Washington. He complained, when he went to bed in the evening, of not being very well. In the morning, a servant was sent to his room, to call him to breakfast, who returned with the information that he was sleeping very soundly. Towards noon his landlady went up to ascertain the reason of his non-appearance, when she found him dead. It is thought he died during the night, of apoplexy.

A meeting of the citizens of Chambersburg was held on the 21st ult., to memorialize the Legislature in behalf of the despoiled people of Chambersburg, by the rebel burning in July, 1864. D. O. Gehr, J. M. D. Sharpe, Geo. V. Brewer and A. K. McClure, were selected to go to Harrisburg, and present their claims before the proper committees. A resolution of thanks was also passed to the people of different cities and towns who kindly contributed to the sufferers immediately after the fire.

The Post-office at Round Hill, in this County, has been discontinued. Some difficulty occurred about a person suitable for Postmaster. We do not know the precise reason.

Property Sales.—Dellone's mill, with about one hundred acres of land, in Conowingo township, has been purchased by Jacob Hostetter, for \$19,000.

Daniel S. Diehl has sold his farm, in Tyrone township, to Daniel Brame—208 acres, at \$48 per acre.

Shooting Affray.

We regret to record the fact that a shooting affray occurred on Friday last, at Graceland Springs, on the mountain, in which a young man by the name of HAMMOND was killed.—After frequent inquiry we have been unable to learn all the facts, but it seems that on the day above named, young Hamilton, in company with two other persons, entered the hotel, which is now kept by Mr. Hostetter, and made an assault upon the landlord, and the landlord's wife, at the same time, and had dealt several severe blows upon them. At this stage of the proceedings, Hostetter's son, a young man of about 19 years of age, interfered with a gun, and shot Hamilton through the groin, inflicting a wound from which he died in a few hours.—We have not learned the names of the other two individuals, nor are we informed whether they were concerned in the fracas or not. Hamilton, it seems, was a deserter from the rebel army, and has been a laborer in that neighborhood for some months back. We have been unable to learn what provocation, if any, had been given for the assault. Although a rash act, young Hostetter seems to receive but little censure for the sad affair. An inquest was held upon the body, and a verdict rendered in accordance with the above facts. Young Hostetter at once gave himself up to the authorities, and the body of the deceased was decently interred in the burial ground near Greenwood.—*Star.*

Capt. Palmer, who distinguished himself very much by his daring exploits when Gen. Lee occupied Hagerstown and threatened to invade Pennsylvania in 1862, has had very honorable mention given to him by General Grant and the Secretary of War, for his gallantry since, and has been promoted a Brigadier General. His personal command was the 15th Pennsylvania (Anderson) Cavalry, which composed a portion of the famous division, commanded by him. To this division belongs also the credit of having made the longest continuous march of the year—over 2,000 miles, and in the Secretary's language, gave the "last blow to the rebellion in the southwest." When Jeff. Davis commenced his retreat, Col. Palmer was ordered to follow him to the "ends of the earth," and it was his command that captured Jeff's Body Guard, cut off the trans-Mississippi region from the "stern statesmen," and drove him into the hands of the 4th Michigan foraging party who captured him. The 15th Pennsylvania Cavalry, in which was as fine Pennsylvania blood as flows, was the nucleus of the division, and its history forms a prominent part of the history of the success of the Western Armies.

SPRING AND WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement, in another column, of BARTON & CO., dealers in Fancy Goods, Jewellery, Photographs, &c. They are an old establishment, and so far as our knowledge extends, deal fairly and honestly by their customers. At least it will do no harm to give them one trial, as it will not require a fortune for that purpose.

The War Department computes the number of deaths in the Union armies, since the commencement of the war, at 350,000, and of the Southern soldiers at 225,000. At Gettysburg, 23,000 of the Union army were killed, wounded or taken prisoners—the greatest loss during one battle. Grant's losses from the time he crossed the Rapidan until Lee's surrender, were 90,000. Great as these losses were, they are less than those incurred in European wars, owing to our superior medical and sanitary arrangements, and the care of the Government for its troops.

A letter has been received from Gov. Curtin, dated Havona on the 16th December, in which he says that he grows better every day, and that the pain in his spine, which gave him so much distress, has entirely gone. It is probable that he will protract his visit until about the middle of January.

John C. Breckenridge, Gen. McCausland, Harry Gilmore, and several other rebels, are now in Toronto, Canada. Gen. Early has gone to Mexico, where many of his friends have taken up their abode. He says he is not an applicant for pardon, and would not accept one if offered by the President. He has nothing to regret, he says, except that his services in aid of the rebellion were not of more avail.

The Legislature of Pennsylvania will assemble at Harrisburg to day. On account of the absence of the Governor, there is but little probability of a message being sent in at this time. The organization will take place at once, as the Union party have a decided majority in both branches. Gov. Curtin is expected home about the middle of next month, in improved health.

Christmas at Harrisburg.—The following beautiful picture of the Christmas performances at Harrisburg, we copy from the Telegraph: "Christmas was a day of drunkenness and rioting. The ram-hole was their resort, and partaking too freely of the liquid fire that 'ate away men's brains,' they finally engaged in blasphemy, bacchanalian revelry, and riotous conduct, that was not only disgraceful to the participants, but to the city. Free fights, in which fists, bricks, knives, razors and pistols were used, became the order of the day in some portions of the town, and so lawless and defiant did the rascals become, that the police were powerless, and the Mayor was compelled to appear in the streets and command peace. Cat heads, blackened eyes and bloody faces were numerous, and at times it seemed as if Rum was king and the rioters were doing his bidding. Fortunately, towards evening quiet was again restored, and order reigned throughout the city limits."

A merchant in Pittsburgh, by the name of Shaw, stands charged with having caused the abduction of his wife and her confinement in the lunatic asylum, on the plea that she was insane and dangerous. By some means he obtained the certificates of two physicians to that effect, and a few days since, had the police seize her, and despite the heart-rending cries of the helpless woman, she was forced into the street cars and hurried to the asylum. On her first interview with the superintending physician he had grave doubts of her insanity, which was confirmed by subsequent examinations.

Secretary McCulloch has returned to Washington from New York. His interview with the moneyed men is said to have been entirely satisfactory. The banks offered him, says a Washington special, a temporary loan of \$100,000,000, which he will probably accept. He contemplates funding \$50,000,000 or \$100,000,000 certificates of indebtedness, compound interest notes, and the first series of Seven Thirties, which fall due next July.

AN APPEAL IN BEHALF OF THE PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA COLLEGE.

The Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania College, at their last annual meeting, resolved to reorganize the Preparatory Department, and establish it upon a basis that would make it worthy of the patronage, not only of the community in which it is located, but of the public generally. They accordingly elected a Principal, in the person of Rev. C. J. Shurelaff, of Middletown, Pa., a gentleman of large experience in the management of academical institutions, and whose peculiar fitness for this post has already been abundantly shown since he has assumed charge of it. The Board next determined upon the erection of a suitable building for the exclusive use of this Department, and appointed a committee to raise the necessary funds and superintend its erection. They felt constrained to adopt this course on account of the want of room in the present college building, and in view of the fact that a system of discipline, &c., is needed for more youthful pupils, different from that which is pursued in the case of those of mature years.

The committee to whom the erection of the new building was intrusted, awaited the opening of the next succeeding session of the College before proceeding with the work assigned them. Such, however, is the increase of students in this Department since its reorganization, that they are constrained, without further delay, to carry out the instructions of the Board. And they feel justified in calling at once upon the citizens of Adams county, and upon the friends of education generally, to aid them in the prosecution of this work. As there are already sixty names upon the roll of this Department, an edifice will be required that will accommodate at least one hundred pupils, and this will cost not less than \$20,000. Encouraged by this attendance and relying upon the generosity and liberality of the friends of education in Adams and the adjoining counties, and in the Lutheran Church generally, the Committee have purchased a most eligible site, a short distance eastward of Pennsylvania College, at very reasonable rates. It is expected that the citizens of Adams county will contribute liberally to this enterprise, as it will benefit them more directly than any other people.—At the same time it is hoped that the neighboring counties of York, Cumberland and Franklin will also liberally respond to this call of an institution that has already done so much to elevate the standard of general intelligence in this region of country, and that unitedly they will furnish the means necessary to erect this new edifice. It should be the determination of the citizens of Adams county, and of the Lutheran Church generally, which has so large an interest in the institutions located at Gettysburg, to make these so attractive as to draw multitudes of students hither, and make this the chief educational centre of the Church.—As the College is here, and also the Theological Seminary of the General Synod, so here there ought to be one of the most flourishing Preparatory schools, to be a feeder for both these institutions. This school, well filled, will send large classes annually into the College, many of whom will then pass on to the Theological Seminary. Indeed, this institution may be regarded as a prolific source of blessing to the Church, every interest of which will be promoted by its success. Whatever, therefore, is contributed to this object, is given in aid of an enterprise that may be said to lie with others, at the very foundation of the Church's prosperity.

The Rev. A. McLaughlin and the Rev. A. Babb, have been appointed agents to collect funds to aid in the erection of the new building. They will enter upon their work immediately after the holidays. The former will commence in Adams, the latter in Cumberland. The Committee respectfully bespeak for these, and other brethren that may be sent into the field, a kind reception and a liberal response, so that the much needed building may be erected at an early day.

CHARLES A. HAY, HERMAN HAUTE, JOHN E. GRAEF, WM. M. BAUM, JOHN G. MOORE, Committee.

Gettysburg, Dec. 16, 1865.

The Virginia City (Montana) Post of November 4 contains a glowing description of a most extraordinary discovery about four miles from Helena, in that Territory, made by a man named Brown, one of the original discoverers of the Gold & Curry lode of Nevada. The discovery is represented as a well defined ledge, fully five feet wide, with a gold vein three feet wide, three-fourths of the entire substance therein being pure gold. On each side of this vein there is a casing of one foot of quartz, which will assay from \$400 to \$2,000 the ton. What gives an air of credibility to this seemingly exaggerated account, is the fact that Col. Insley, a well-known citizen of St. Joseph, now in Montana, says in a closing letter to his family that he has seen a specimen of this quartz, which seemed to be solid gold.

APPLE SPECULATORS BROUGHT TO GRIEF.—One of the largest apple dealers in the country, named Marshall, of New York, has failed, and numerous persons in Western New York, farmers and agents, have lost heavily in consequence. The Rochester papers report that one of Marshall's agents, who was worth \$30,000, has lost all, while many farmers have lost the price of their entire crops. Some of the banks are said to have an unpleasant amount of apple paper. The apple speculation was overdone.—*Bot. Trav.*

HEAVY ROBBERY OF BONDS.—Late in the month of November, Mr. Serrill, a well known Philadelphia broker, deposited in the First National Bank of that city bonds to the amount of \$39,000. On Tuesday, on application being made for them, it was ascertained that they had been called for and removed, as supposed, by a person sometimes acting for Mr. Serrill, and who was not to be found. The matter was placed in the hands of the detective officers, and steps were taken to ascertain the whereabouts of the supposed absconding party.

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For the Sentinel.

The Pirate Semmes.—Secretary Welles has ordered that the Rebel pirate Captain Semmes be tried by Court martial, for violating the laws of war in a number of instances, and more especially when he hoisted the white flag on the *Alabama*, and then refused to surrender himself, and engaged in war again without being exchanged. Semmes claims the protection of the parole granted by General Sherman to the forces under Johnson, one of whom was this said Semmes.

Heavy Snow on the Plains.—FORT KEARNEY, December 22.—At 7 o'clock this morning, the thermometer here stood at 28 degrees below zero. Heavy snow storms have fallen on the plains lately. It is drifted in hollows between here and the Missouri river to the depth of fifteen to twenty feet. No coaches have arrived from Atchison for the last two days.

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Texas and Florida are the only two remaining States to be relieved of their Provisional Governors.

A delegation of planters and former Rebels are now in Washington, endeavoring to obtain an appropriation from the Government to rebuild the levees from Vicksburg to New Orleans. They were destroyed by both sides during the war, and it will cost several millions to rebuild them. Hundreds of thousands of acres of cotton lands are under water that can be reclaimed if this work is done.

Secretary Stanton has issued an order setting apart all the ground upon which the masonry of Fort Pillow occurred, for the purpose of erecting a monument thereon to the memory of the soldiers who fell, and those who were butchered there. This order was obtained by Mrs. Booth, the widow of the officer who commanded the colored troops there. She is now engaged in raising funds to build the monument.

It is computed that the commerce of the lakes amounts to at present at least twelve hundred millions of dollars annually, and that two thousand vessels are employed in it. It sends to the seaboard one hundred millions of bushels of grain, two millions of hogs and a half a million of cattle annually.

A destructive fire occurred at Shafter, Venango county, Pennsylvania, on Monday afternoon, which destroyed the Ocean House, and pretty much the whole west side of the town. The wind was favorable for the oil platform, and no oil was burned. Ten stores, four hotels and the bulk of the buildings in the town were consumed.

A week or two since Denton Shirley, a respectable farmer, living near Edwarsville, Indiana, was found in his barn with forty-three cuts and stabs about his head and face. His shoes and stockings had been taken off, his leg placed upon a block, and one foot cut off. No clue to the perpetrators.

Jamaica advices to the 6th instant show that the British authorities there still continue their barbarous treatment of the negroes engaged in the late riot. The number of negroes executed was estimated at from 2,000 to 4,000, and the land was said to be offensive with their corpses.

The boiler of a foundry recently exploded in Logansport, Indiana, instantly killing five children, and badly scalding two workmen. The children had just come in, and were warming themselves at the furnace, when the explosion took place.

SERIOUS CHARGE.—Mrs. John Nevins has been arrested in Pittsburgh upon the charge of killing, by means of poison, her husband, who has recently returned from the army. She was sent to jail by Mayor Lowry.

The friends of General Grant in New York have sent to Washington a present for him, in the shape of a horse, valued at \$2,000.

An ex-Empress died in Philadelphia a few days ago. It was Madame Luise de Turbide, widow of the former Emperor of Mexico.

The War Department has issued orders for the mustering out of a large proportion of the volunteer military force now in the different departments, their services being no longer required.

Married.

Dec. 19th, by the Rev. E. Breidenbaugh, Rev. C. AMY to Miss MARGARET M. HAMBURG, both of Uniontown, Md.

On the 20th ult., by the Rev. FREDERICK W. HILLMEYER, of Williamsport, Pa., to Miss LILLIAN M. WINTRODE, of this place.

On the 28th, by the same, Mr. WILLIAM NEFF, of Harrisburg, to Miss M. CORDELLA HOWARD, of this county.

On the evening of Dec. 21st, in Carlisle, Pa., by the Rev. Daniel Stock, Mr. ISAAC WOLFE, of Harrisburg, to Miss MISS CAROLINE S. TATE, of Harrisburg, Adams county, Pa.

On the 26th of December last, by Rev. D. T. Carman, E. R. FORNER, Esq., of Baltimore, to Miss HARRIET L. MIDDLECOFF, of Gettysburg.

On the 26th ult., by Rev. Dr. Schumacher, Mr. SAMUEL WEIGEL to Mrs. LUDIA ANN RALPH, of Uniontown, Adams county.

On the 26th ult., by the Rev. J. R. Perryman, Mr. CHARLES H. EHRMAN to Miss HESKETH T. M. CARSON, both of Baltimore.

On the 24th ult., by Rev. M. Bushman, Mr. DAVID WEAVER to Miss LUDIA FENTZ, all of this county.

On the 19th ult., at the Lutheran Parsonage, at Argyleville, by Rev. J. K. Miller, Mr. J. H. KATZ to Miss MISS L. A. DEARDOFF, both of Franklin township.

On the same day, by the same, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Benjamin Miller, Mr. E. H. MILLER to Miss MARY R. MILLER, both of Tyrone township.

On the 30th of Nov., at the Cor. Ref. Parsonage, New Oxford, by Rev. W. F. P. Davis, Mr. ISAAC J. CRUM to Miss MISS J. CRUM, both near Bendersville, Adams county, Pa.

At the residence of the bride's parents, Dec. 21st, by the Rev. J. M. Kiddle, JAMES A. REED to Miss Margaret C. B. 21st Pa. Cav., and now of Harrisburg, to Miss MISS L. WIERMAN, daughter of Wm. L. Wierman, Esq., of Franklin township.

On the 19th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. H. KATZ, Mr. J. R. Wierman, Mr. S. L. HORNELL, of Mountain twp., this county, to Miss LILLIAN J. GALT.

On Christmas morning, by Rev. Mr. Biedenbaugh, Mr. WILLIAM L. WILFONG to Miss LILLIAN C. FOWERS, all of Gettysburg.

On Tuesday, 19th Dec., at Green Ridge, at the residence of John Heger, Esq., by Rev. Dr. Hauer, Mr. JACOB F. FIDLER to Miss ALICE J. HENRY.

At the same time and place, by the same, Mr. JOHN J. CLAPSADDE to Miss FLORENCE Y. HEGAY, all of this county.

On Tuesday, 26th Dec. by the same, Mr. JACOB ARBEQUEST, of Cumberland Co., Pa., to Miss AGNES, daughter of the late William Stock, of New Oxford, Adams Co. Pa.

Bird.

On Thursday last, at a very advanced age, THOMAS STEPHENS, Esq., of Petersburg, Y. S. Mr. Stephens was at one time a Representative in the State Legislature, and has been always a member of the County Board of Supervisors.

On Christmas evening, MARIA WISLER, wife of Martin Wisler, of Franklin township, aged 31 years 7 months and 23 days.

On the 24th Dec., MARY LENZ, daughter of Mr. Joseph Rife, aged 29 years 8 months and 23 days.

On the 17th ult., in Holdersburg, JAMES N. BENTLEY, Esq., aged 65 years and 26 days. He was well known in the community, and as he lived respected, is lamented.

On Saturday morning, Dec. 2, at his residence, in Hanoverstown, Mrs. SARAH FELTZ, aged 83 years and 8 months.

On the 24th Dec., at East Berlin, MARY ELLEN ILGENFELTZ, aged 4 months.

On the 18th Dec., near Abbottstown, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. 8 months and 15 days.

On the 17th Dec., near East Berlin, of diphtheria, GEORGE LINK, aged 1 year 11 months and 24 days.

On the 18th ult., ELIZABETH, wife of Geo. Taylor, of Butler township, aged 46 years 2 mos. and 15 days.

On the 22d ult., near East Berlin, EMANUEL RUTZ, aged 57 years 8 months and 15 days.

Near New Oxford, HENRY DEFORD, infant son of James R. and Mary Catharine Gitt, aged 2 months and 21 days.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

ON SATURDAY, JANUARY 20th, 1866, at 1 o'clock, P. M., in pursuance of an alias Order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, will be offered at Public Sale, on the premises, the following portions of the Real Estate of Nicholas Wierman, deceased, to wit:—The undivided moiety or half part of

A Tract of Land, situate in Huntington township, in said county, adjoining lands of E. S. Myers, George Wiant, and others, separated from the main Tract by a public road. The land is under good fencing, 6 Acres of which are in a high state of cultivation, and the residue is well wooded, with excellent timber. Also, the undivided moiety or half part of

A TRACT OF TIMBER LAND, containing 5 ACRES, more or less, adjoining land of Hon. Isaac E. Wierman, Bernadine Creek, and others, and with good timber, Oak and Hickory, with a stream of water running through it.

Attendance will be given and terms made known by

JOSEPH A. WIERMAN, Ex'r.

By the Court—J. J. FINK, Clerk.

The other half of said Tracts will be offered for sale at the same time and place.

Jan. 2. **SUSAN WIERMAN.**

PUBLIC SALE.

IN pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Adams county, will be sold on the premises, on Wednesday the 24th day of January, 1866, the real estate of Daniel Myers, deceased, late of Reading township:

A VALUABLE FARM, containing 125 acres, situated in the above named township, on the turnpike leading from Hanover to Carlisle, 2 1/2 miles northwest from Hampton, and 2 1/2 miles southeast of York Sulphur Springs, adjoining lands of John Baker, John Simpson and others. The improvements are a new two-story

BRICK HOUSE, a Brick Dry and Smoke House, a Bank Barn, with a running stream of water in the barn yard. There is an excellent well of water near door of the house. Also a rough-cut two-story HOUSE, with Stone Kitchen attached, Log Barn, pump and water between the house and barn. The farm is under a good state of cultivation, the greater part being of the Round hill soil or yellow sand, under good fencing, and having a fair portion of timber and good meadow land. Also, a young Apple Orchard of choice fruit in full bearing. Two Peach Orchards, which seldom miss bearing. Persons wishing to view the property are requested to call on Adam S. Myers